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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. National Application of:

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) Preliminary Amendment

Entitled: A PHASE SHIFTING DEVICE)

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as shown on the following pages:

Amendments to the **Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the **Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 3
of this paper.